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The local officials, who are handling the games on Laid field this season, are due commendation for the splendid manner in which they officiate.

Beautiful beach growing weather! That's the order of the day this week. If beachgoers are commencing to schedule there should be some picking around the first of next week.

Tonight Hobson's Blue Devils go up against the strong Punta Gorda aggregation. P. E. Walker, former principal of the Pahokee schools and now principal of the Punta Gorda schools, will be an interested spectator tonight when the starting whistle blows.

Canal Point's Junior high school is no more. The ninth grade has been moved to Pahokee upon recommendation of the state educational department. Since the writer has no children in the schools, we will leave the arguments to those who are directly interested.

A communication from up north wants to know when Road 26 will be ready for travel. How long is a string? How far is up? We could answer those two questions just as easily as we could the one about Road 26. We'll venture a guess that it will be ready for travel some time next spring.

Robert Lampi, director of the Pahokee school band, has received much encouragement since last Friday night's appearance.

of the band at the Mulberry-Pahokee foot ball game. The youngsters were greeted with a warm reception from the large crowd in attendance at the game. The group is making splendid progress and henceforth will receive the wholehearted support of school patrons.

## BASEBALL

We have long felt inclined to advocate the teaching of baseball in the schools. We could put it in place of arithmetic. In fact, anyone well versed in the subject could find at the end more a master of arithmetic than half the youth who emerge from school with souls seared by logarithms and cube root. You can't know baseball and not add, subtract, multiply and divide and figure percentage to the fifth decimal. So why not?

If the schools can't give way on arithmetic, on account of the girls, then baseball could supply the subject of politics in the schools. Heavens, what hints baseball can give to politics. Here comes the World Series now. Is any bloc putting pressure on McKelchine or Del Baker to give this or that position to the starting place? Is anybody in the grandstand telling these inspired managers when to bunt and when to hit and run? How immediate would the answer be? Bill or Del a dictator? They are there to get a result. They have proved their competency to get results. Anybody who'd insert pressure and pull in the making of their teams would be hanged at daybreak by out-caster fans. See what happens in Cleveland when its players played "politics."

There's your corporate efficiency, two baseball teams subject to no nonsense, and what teams! One steady pull the long summer through, last games with the same determination as the first, they come now to their crowning test. Yes, a government, our common sense sufficient, could be run as effectively as that. Let the schools put baseball in place of that "civil government." Miami Daily News.

young manhood. And when weekly newspaper men start building homes, you know times must be good! The Kay family hasn't actually started building yet, but the wife has a gleam in her eye and goes around mulling about so-and-so going to build or somebody or other just moved into their house last week. It's getting so I can't count on the house when it's built. I've seen over such magazines as "Home Beautiful" or "Home and Garden." Strangers' phone me to ask when I expect to start my new home. The mail man brings me letters from manufacturers of Solar Heaters and Ventilation Units.

You know a couple of years ago I accumulated two dollars and made a first payment on a house which I thought was "gone" to serve me for the rest of my life. The family was not about it and everything was well, but it was a long time before the darn thing is too small and it ain't got enough closets and the fireplace ain't big enough. The house was a builder's. It's got the darnest kitchen, all the built-in fixtures and Mr. Housewife has a private "den" all poked in Cypress and I could have one just like it, if we ever build, etc., and besides it wouldn't be hard to sell our house.

And I think of all the poor folks over in Europe who built themselves nice houses and are now spending half their time in bomb shelters, and well I just don't know.

## FULLER'S FULMINATIONS

by Fuller Warren

We're now coming up for the election with Willie Roosevelt. The first round occurred several weeks ago in this column. At that time he hadn't made his acceptance speech at the time. He was going to go to analyze him in the light of his Elwood acceptance speech. This is about the only way I know to get a line on what kind of a man he is and what kind of a president he would make. For it is generally conceded that the Republican party's platform, on which a candidate will be running, means a little less than nothing. And Willie has no record of public service of any kind by which he can be judged. He has never held office by appointment or election. He has no notable record in civic or charitable work. His record as a soldier is negligible. The only thing of note about his business record is that he made a salary of \$75,000 per year as the head of a billion-dollar utility holding corporation. (Willie did not organize and develop the commonwealth and Southern corporation. It was a going concern long before he had anything to do with it. He became its lawyer in 1922. In 1923 the president of the corporation got sick and quit, and Willie became the president. So no one can claim he is a business genius in the sense that he conceived, organized and developed a business concern.) That he pigged and gouged the government out of \$23,000,000 for his utility outfit.

Then being the facts regarding his record, we must necessarily judge him by his speeches. For certainly no one is going to have the gall to say that there is anything in his record to show that he is qualified for the biggest and hardest job in the world—the presidency of the United States. Surely no man person will contend that being president of billion-dollar utility holding corporation qualified Willie to be president of the United States. If so it can be contended with strong reason that Samuel Insull was fit to be president for he was head of a utility empire larger than the one headed by Willie.

So there is nothing left to measure him by but his speeches. It is reasonable to assume that he put all he had into his acceptance speech at Elwood, so it seems fair and proper to judge him by that speech. I heard it over the radio. I read it in the newspapers. I read comments on it. I have listened to comments on it. I think I know what is in that speech.

I have no hesitancy in saying it was the worst speech that has been made by anyone for president of the United States in the past sixteen years. He lived up to none of the halcyon that has been broadcast in his behalf since April. We have been told that he was a golden-voiced, quick-witted, mentally agile, dynamic, extroverted, convincing speaker. He had been told that he had an inventive, resourceful, resilient, powerful speech that could make the most difficult problems seem simple.

What did we get in the Elwood acceptance speech? He read a prepared speech of more than an hour's length. I didn't time it, but it seemed that long or longer (or more). And he did a very poor job of reading it. He hesitated at times. He was harsh or hoarse, or both. He seemed to run out of gas every now and then. Several times in the course of the speech his speech was that in it he didn't offer a single solution for any of the many problems that burden the people of this nation. He specifically declared in favor of most of the major policies of the Roosevelt administration. Yet, after declaring for most every policy Roosevelt has put into practice, he declared that he would be the "drifted" state. He specifically declared in favor of the Roosevelt administration. He specifically declared in favor of the Roosevelt administration. He specifically declared in favor of the Roosevelt administration.

He approved of most of President Roosevelt's foreign policy, but he bawled him out for "attack" foreign nations. Willie has been a little confused on that one. I know of no nation that Roosevelt has attacked. It is true that he said Mussolini had "stuck a knife into the back of France," when that cowardly pig declared war on that helpless republic. Was Willie complaining because Roosevelt had the courage and desire to remove a cruel, greedy, billion-dollar utility holding corporation. (Willie did not organize and develop the commonwealth and Southern corporation. It was a going concern long before he had anything to do with it. He became its lawyer in 1922. In 1923 the president of the corporation got sick and quit, and Willie became the president. So no one can claim he is a business genius in the sense that he conceived, organized and developed a business concern.) That he pigged and gouged the government out of \$23,000,000 for his utility outfit.

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democracy for us. He didn't even hint of any democratic right that the American people have lost in the past eight years. And he didn't suggest what rights of democracy were about to be taken away from us. He said he was in a crusade, but he didn't say what he was crusading for.

Willie said he "stood for re-employment by private enterprise." Well, who doesn't? But the question is HOW can private enterprise re-employ the ten million people now out of work. If Willie will tell specifically and definitely just how that can be done he will deserve to be elected president.

In more than one hour of dull, dreary droning through his written speech Willie failed to even say definitely just what are the issues between him and the president. He didn't say what it is that he favors that Roosevelt against, and what it is Roosevelt favors that he is against.

If any one person who favors Willie for president will write down what he stands for and HOW he proposes to accomplish it, I will publish it in this column. I make this proposition in an effort to find out just what his program is. This column is published in thirty-two weekly newspapers and in five dailies. So, if anybody can make out a program for Willie, here is a chance to reach about 100,000 Florida citizens with it.

## Miss Conley Now Operating Shop

Miss Ann Conley announces that she has taken over the beauty shop in Canal Point formerly operated by Mrs. Margaret Jones. Miss Conley has been an operator in the shop for several years and is widely experienced in the art of beauty culture. She tends a cordial invitation to her many friends to visit her.

## INSURANCE

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## "Go Home" Edition For Cone Crew

Several Florida newspapers are contemplating special editions at the time the administration changes in January. Enterprising solicitors for one of the editions are selling space in state department offices on the theory that the edition will be a farwell tribute to the Cone administration. Anti-Cones have termed it a "Go Home" edition.

## CANAL POINT BAPTIST CHURCH

S. B. Jordan, Pastor  
Sunday school 10 a. m. Classes for all ages. J. S. Chastain, supt. Preaching 11 a. m.  
The BTU services will meet at 7 o'clock Sunday evening. Sunday evening preaching services begin at 8 o'clock.

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M. O. Slavson, Pastor  
Church School 10:00 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11:00  
Young Peoples Service, 6:30 p. m.  
Evening worship, 7:30.  
Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Mid-week prayer service.  
If you are not attending other services you are cordially invited to worship with us.  
There is a called meeting of the Women's Society of Christiana Service Tuesday, October 8th, 2:30 p. m. at the church.

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## TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

By Russell Kay

You know if we don't watch ourselves here in Florida we're gonna be all snarled up and backslashed in another few "years" with

hinder boys runnin' round in kate pants carryin' pits and knacks 'bout 'dogg-dogg back to 1929. Since the government started turnin' loose national defense money and they've been movin' soldiers on us by the thousands, it's gettin' so you can't park your car nowhere this side of the residential section and folks flow in and down "the sidewalks like it was the week before Christmas" in Gasparilla Day.

Vacant lots that ain't had no

attention paid to 'em by anything but weeds for the last fifteen years or so are 'bein' annoyed with army and landscape artists. Folks who are unfortunate enough not to own a home are 'bein' pushed around and marled at by landscape artists 'on up every nook or so to announce that "startin on the first the rent will be ten dollars more a month." On the other hand, if you own your own home and it is well located and looks livable, you're bothered by people rangin' your door bell or callin' you on the phone and askin' if it's "for sale."

There may still be a lot of folks unemployed but they're not carpenters or plumbers or brick layers. We been tryin' to get hold of a plumber to do some repair work at our house for a week now and haven't been able to find one, and locate a painter or carpenter is even harder. Why, even our colored yard man comes to work in an automobile and wears neckties and ecrued shoes.

You know, I can remember back when we used to enjoy fall summers and had plenty of time to go fishin' and the stores weren't crowded and there was always plenty of parkin' spaces and you never had to stand in line to get in a movie or a cafeteria, but this summer it's been terrible.

Thanks to our new low-bare streamlined train, comfortable air-conditioned deluxe buses, and improved highways, it's gettin' so the Yankees don't think any more of makin' a summer trip to Florida than they used to think of runnin' over to Rye Beach or Atlantic City.

During my trip around the state this summer I encountered tourists and summer visitors from every state in the Union. Roads were all cluttered up with "foreign" cars. Such attractions as Silver Springs, Cypress Gardens, Marine Studios and others were all doin' a record breaking business, reporting the best summer in their history. Many hotels found the past summer one of the best ever experienced.

While the lower east coast has been experiencing a building boom for months, Tampa and the west coast are just beginning to get the fever and during this summer more new residences have been built than at any time since the boom.

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Oct. 4	Punta Gorda	At	Pahokee
Oct. 11	Dania	At	Pahokee
Oct. 18	Okeechobee	At	Okeechobee
Oct. 25	Delray Beach	At	Pahokee
Nov. 1	Ft. Lauderdale	At	Pahokee
Nov. 8	Fort Pierce	At	Ft. Pierce
Nov. 15	Stuart	At	Pahokee
Nov. 27	Lake Worth	At	Pahokee
Dec. 6	W. Palm Beach	At	Pahokee

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## TOURIST INFLUX IS RESULT OF PUBLICITY

Tallahassee, Oct. 3.—Efforts of the state government to boost the tourist influx into Florida brought material results in the past summer season, State Hotel Commissioner W. M. Taylor declared today.

The state, acting through the agency of the state hotel commission, was instrumental in advertising the attractions of Florida as a summer resort and playground in far greater degree than in past years, Commissioner Taylor said. "The commission broadcast attractive folders over the state and nationwide advertising Florida as a summer playground, and pointing out its desirability to vacation seekers in the summer months as well as in the winter," Taylor said.

"These folders likewise" were distributed by hotels and travel agencies, by chambers of commerce, real estate dealers and other effective agencies and were highly productive of results in bringing thousands of additional vacationers to the state for the summer months.

Many of these vacationers came to the state for the first time, Commissioner Taylor said, and indicated they will return either for further vacations or will make permanent residences in Florida.

Information on the increase of summer visitors to the state was compiled as the state hotel commission office here from reports of deputy hotel commissioners, hotel and apartment operators and other agencies catering to tourist trade, Commissioner Taylor pointed out.

## VEHICLE TAX

Tallahassee, Oct. 3.—(FNS)—Collections of taxes on Florida motor vehicles the past year totaled \$32,206,000.00 the bulk in the form of gasoline tax, and represents an average of \$50.59 per motorist.

Of the amount taken in, 35 percent goes for construction and maintenance of highways, 30.5 percent for other governmental expense, 20.0 percent for road bond interests and retirement, and 14.2 percent for road department administrative costs.

The number of men in Florida estimated to be subject to the subject to the draft, between the ages of 18 and 35, is 220,000, according to war department figures. Estimates place the number subject to call in the nation at 16,101,000.

## Here Are a Few Things That Happened 15 Years Ago In The Glades and Were Recorded by The Everglades News

Clearing of right of way for the Canal Point-Pahokee road will be under way next week. A. A. Sturgis of the Bryan & Holloway Construction Company said Wednesday when passing through Canal Point on his way to Clewiston.

M. U. Mounts, new assistant to County Agent Hatt, visited E. E. Each yesterday. He says Mr. Hatt is anxious that members of the advisory committee from Canal Point and Pahokee be appointed as meeting is desired for October 19.

## A PROSPEROUS YEAR

We hardly now remember That we had here a flood, Our fields were mirey mud. The beans that have been going Are bringing back the dough; Tomatoes, too, are growing Good as they ever grow.

We hear the whistling blowing— The train is coming near. While fast our crops are growing: 'Twill be a prosperous year. No more will we be bailing Our freight on boats so slow; For cars we now are filling, Swift to the north they go.

Last fall some folks were grumbling Because things were not right, That's why they're often stumbling. No faith, they walk by sight. Why not be always cheerful And never fret or fuss? Things might sometimes look fearful Yet good will come to us.

—FRANK FRIEND

A colored man, Quincy Clark, paid A. Kaltenbrunner 30c for a turnip seed a few weeks ago. Quincy planted the seed and sold \$71 worth of turnips.

## State Director Of—

(continued from page 1) the carrying out of the registration, and the school teachers along with other patriotic citizens will make ideal registrars. This work is of course all on a patriotic, volunteer and no compensation basis. In charge of each registration place there will be a chief registrar, and serving under him at each registration place there will be sufficient registrars to adequately handle the number of registrars who will present themselves for registration. The entire registration will be completed October 16, and the chief registrar will then deliver all of his registration to the chairman of the committee in charge of registration for the county.

The county chairman, the instructions continue, is to immediately formulate the organization of his county for registration, using the county precinct as the unit for the formulation of registration districts. Two or more voting precincts may be combined, the instructions state, into a selective service registration district, and two or more registration places may be located in the same building if desired.

The county chairman was also directed to appoint two or more citizens of the county to serve with him on his committee. It was suggested that the county superintendent of public instruction, because of his knowledge of county precincts and population distribution, might well be chosen as member of this committee. The county chairman was asked to select convenient places of registration. The number of men to be registered was estimated at 15 percent of the population. It was also estimated that one registrar, working full time, can register a maximum of 30 persons. A chief registrar and sufficient assistants is to be appointed for each registration place. Registrars must be intelligent responsible citizens who can write legibly.

## NEW DISTRICT

TALLAHASSEE, Oct. 3.—(FNS)—One of the tasks faced by the 1941 legislature will be that of creating a sixth congressional district. Florida's population increase since 1930 will entitle the state to a sixth member of congress. The legislature may establish a new sixth district or may permit the sixth congressman to run from the state at large. When the 1930 census gave this state an additional congressman

the fifth congressional delegate was elected from the state at large for four years as the legislature did not create a fifth district until 1933. The first election for a sixth congressman will not occur until 1942.

## APPLICATIONS

Boys between 20 and 26 who desire to join the Flying Cadets should get in touch with George McElarty or Johnny Fourmy.

Ignoring the proclamation of the president in setting Thanksgiving day one week ahead, Gov. Fred P. Cone officially set the date for Thursday, Nov. 28th for the state of Florida.

The Rev. James A. Hendry left Monday for Avon Park, where he will assist the Rev. Minglefort, pastor of Methodist church there, in revival services.

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